# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

In re:

THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR PUERTO RICO,

as representative of

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, et al.

Debtors.<sup>1</sup>

PROMESA Title III

Case No. 17 BK 3283-LTS

(Jointly Administered)

# NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND REQUEST FOR SERVICE OF DOCUMENTS

#### TO THE HONORABLE COURT:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Rule 83D(a) of the Local Civil Rules of the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico, Rules 2002, 9007, and 9010(b) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the "Bankruptcy Rules"), made applicable to these proceedings by Section 310 of the Puerto Rico Oversight, Management, and Economic Stability Act ("PROMESA"), 48 U.S.C. § 2170 et seq., and Sections 102(1) and 1109(b) of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"), made applicable to these proceedings by Section 301 of PROMESA, Goodwin Procter LLP and Morell, Cartagena & Dapena LLC hereby enter

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these Title III Cases, along with each Debtor's respective Title III case number and the last four (4) digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, as applicable, are the (i) Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 3283-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3481); (ii) Puerto Rico Sales Tax Financing Corporation ("<u>COFINA</u>") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 3284-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 8474); (iii) Puerto Rico Highways and Transportation Authority ("<u>HTA</u>") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 3567-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3808); (iv) Employees Retirement System of the Government of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico ("<u>ERS</u>") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17 BK 3566-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 9686); and (v) Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority ("<u>PREPA</u>") (Case No. 17 BK 4780- LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3747). (Title III case numbers are listed as Bankruptcy Case numbers due to software limitations).

their appearance in the above-captioned Title III cases (the "Title III Case") as co-counsel to Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC ("Goldman"). Goldman hereby requests, pursuant to Rules 2002 and 9010 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, that all notice given or required to be given in these cases be served upon the undersigned counsel:

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §1109(b), the foregoing request includes not only the notices and papers referred to in PROMESA, the Bankruptcy Code, and the Bankruptcy Rules, but also includes, without limitation, orders and notices of any application, motion, petition, pleading, request, complaint or demand, whether written or oral, formal or informal, and whether transmitted or conveyed by mail, hand delivery, facsimile transmission, e-mail, telephone, telegraph, telex or otherwise, which affects any of the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (the "Debtors") or the property of or in the possession, custody or control of any of the Debtors or which is otherwise filed or given with regard to the above-referenced Title III Case.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that neither this notice nor any later appearance, pleading, claim, or suit shall waive any right (1) to trial by jury in any proceeding so triable in the Title III Case or any case, controversy, or proceeding related to the Title III Case; and (2) to any other rights, claims, actions, defenses, setoffs, recoupments, or remedies to which Goldman (or any of its affiliates) is or may be entitled, in law or in equity, all of which rights, claims, actions, setoffs, recoupments and remedies are expressly reserved.<sup>2</sup>

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** that I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all attorneys of record.

April 23, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Nor shall this request be deemed or construed to be a consent by Goldman or any of its affiliates as a waiver of any right to have final orders in non-core matters entered only after de novo review by a district judge, to the extent applicable to the Title III Case.